

February 2009 Central Valley Project Water Supply Summary

Water supply conditions for Federal Central Valley Project (CVP) reservoirs have improved since mid-February. The table below illustrates CVP reservoir storages at the end of February, the increase in storage observed during February, and the number of feet the various reservoirs rose during the month. The majority of these increases have come about since Friday, February 13, 2009. Reclamation is looking forward to receiving the results of the California Department of Water Resources' March 2009 snow survey and will be updating the water supply allocations in mid-March.

CVP Reservoir Storage for End of February 2009 Totals as of February 28, 2009					
CVP Reservoir Capacities in Acre-Feet	February 2009 (A/F)	15-year Average (A/F)	Percent of 15-year Average*	February Increase (A/F)	Elevation Increase
Trinity 2,448,000	1,033,000	1,846,000	56%	51,000	6 feet
Shasta 4,552,000	1,960,000	3,468,000	57%	544,000	36 feet
Folsom 977,000	422,000	514,000	82%	177,000	29 feet
New Melones 2,420,000	1,208,000	1,685,000	72%	40,000	5 feet
Fed. San Luis 966,000	343,000	850,000	40%	32,000	**13 feet
Millerton 520,000	298,000	358,000	83%	70,000	21 feet
Total 11,883,000	5,264,000	8,721,000	60%	914,000	

^{*} This percentage is the February 28 2009, storage divided by the 15-year Average storage.

^{**}This is the elevation increase for total San Luis, both Federal and State.